



12C1

Attorney Docket No. 157  
PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Chris Buhr et al.

Serial No.: 07/652,978 Group No.: 1803

Filed: February 8, 1991 Examiner: G. Kunz

For: Methylene Phosphonate Oligonucleotide Analogs  
and NucleosidesAssistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231Received  
MAY 28 1996  
Group 1200

## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.129(a) TRANSMITTAL

- Transmitted herewith is an amendment under 37 CFR 1.129(a) for this application. Applicant requests that the finality of the previous final rejection be withdrawn.

## STATUS

- Applicant is

- a small entity - verified statement:
- attached.
- already filed.
- other than a small entity.

Fees due under 37 CFR 1.17(r)

- small entity \$375.00
- large entity \$750.00

## CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8 (a))

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Robin Torres

(Type or print name of person mailing paper)

Date: May 15, 1996

(Signature of person mailing paper)

## EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 apply

(a)  Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 (fees: 37 CFR 1.17 (a)-(d)) for the total number of months checked below:

	<u>Extension (months)</u>	<u>Fee for other than small entity</u>	<u>Fee for small entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$380.00	\$190.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$900.00	\$450.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,400.00	\$700.00

Fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_

If an additional extension of time is required please consider this a petition therefor.

An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ \_\_\_\_\_

OR

(b)  Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

## FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 CFR 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY			OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
			HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	OR	RATE
TOTAL *	17	MINUS **	37	= 0	X11= \$		X22=	\$ 0
INDEP. *	3	MINUS ***	7	= 0	X39= \$		X78=	\$ 0
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM			+125= \$		+250=			\$ 0
			TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		\$ 0

(c)  No additional fee for claims is required.

OR

(d)  Total additional fee for claims required \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**FEE PAYMENT**

5.  Attached is a check in the sum of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Charge Account No. 07-1250 the sum of \$ 750.00

A duplicate of this request is attached.

**FEE DEFICIENCY**

6.  If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 07-1250

**AND/OR**

If any additional extension fee for claims is required, charge Account No. 07-1250

Reg. No. 36,616

Daryl D. Muenchau  
SIGNATURE OF AGENT

Tel. No.: (415) 573-4712

Daryl D. Muenchau  
Type or print name of agent

Gilead Sciences, Inc.  
353 Lakeside Drive  
P.O. Address

Foster City, CA 94404